



Citizen’s Guide for Recycling
Avon Transfer Station
281 Huckleberry Hill Road, Avon, CT 06001
(860) 673-3677

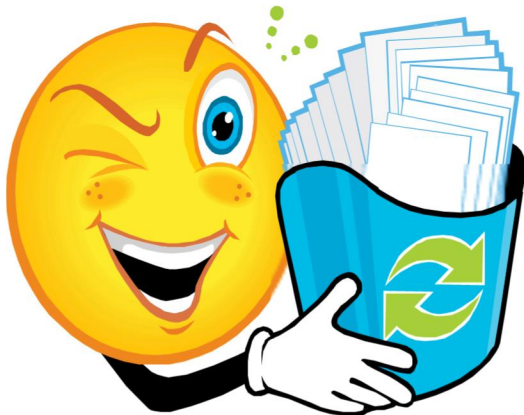


“Services At Your Disposal”

Hours of Operation
Effective July 1, 2015 - June 30, 2016

Tuesday	7:30am-2:30pm
Friday	7:30am-2:30pm
Saturday	7:30am-1:00pm

The Avon Landfill Recycling Center is CLOSED on all legal holidays as well as Good Friday and the Friday following Thanksgiving



Your Recycling Attendants

Edward Ege, Sr.
Arnold Bonini

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Introduction and Welcome

The Avon Transfer Station functions in large part for disposal items and is home to several facilities designed to afford town residents a convenient way to dispose of waste, recyclables, and used goods in a way that greatly reduces the accumulations of non-recyclable trash. Trash disposal costs the town more and more every year, and we encourage everyone to recycle as much as possible to help preserve our environment and save our tax dollars. The following guide will help you sort out disposables and guide you to the proper bins and containers, roughly in the order you encounter them driving into the Landfill.

All of us at The Avon Landfill thank you for your attention to these details, and we greatly appreciate your cooperation. Please let us know if you have any suggestions for improving our services to you. Call us here at the Landfill during regular business hours at (860) 673-3677.

Disposal Permits and Fees

In accordance with the Town Ordinance, only residents with a valid permit issued pursuant to Section 51-73(c) shall have access to the transfer station and only for the purposes set forth in Section 51-22(b),(c)and (d).

<u>Permit fees:</u>	
Resident	\$125.00*
Senior	\$65.00* (age 62 & over)
One Day	\$50.00*
Recycling Only	\$40.00
Replacement	\$20.00

*Includes Recycling

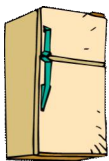
NOTE: *Please sort your trash and recyclables before you arrive at the Landfill. At busy times, particularly Saturday mornings, the demand for parking space, especially near containers 1 through 4 is high. The system works best when everyone can move in and out as quickly as possible. Thank You for your cooperation.*

Special Disposal Items

The following items require the attention of a Landfill Attendant. Please stop by the office or call ahead for instructions.

Appliances With Freon– No Charge

- Refrigerators
- Freezers
- A/C Units
- Dehumidifiers



Propane Tanks (Empty)/Disposal Fee: \$5.00 each
Typically used with gas grills; no larger than 20-gallon size.

Rechargeable Batteries

NiCad rechargeable dry cells should be returned to the place of purchase or left with an attendant. (No Fee)

Dry Cell, Non-Rechargeable
Accepted as household trash.



STARTING AT THE FRONT GATE

Charitable Donation Boxes

Located on the right side of the driveway, just inside the gate. The following types of items in tied bags can be deposited in the chutes on the front of the box.

- Usable old clothes
- Leather handbags and shoes
- Toys
- Pillows, blankets



The Electronic Recycling Center

The small, open-front building located just to the left of the Salvation Army Box is your new E-Waste drop off site. ALL electronics are accepted at no charge!



Paint Facility /Open April 1st– October 1st.

The Avon Exchange - For Avon Resident Only with a Valid Permit

Located in the left portion of the building shared with the Paint Facility. The Exchange operates as a free “garage sale”. NOTE: Please check with an attendant before leaving anything in the Exchange. Good, serviceable items such as books, toys, and tables are acceptable. You may, in turn, take home any item you find in the Exchange. Use the bulletin board to advertise any item you want to offer for free. Be sure to include your telephone number in your posting. NOTE: *The Exchange is not equipped to handle mattresses, bedsprings, firearms, ammunition, pots, pans, clothes, pillows, large stuffed toys or food items and electronics.*

The Office

Located a short distance to the left of the Avon Exchange. If you don’t find an attendant behind the desk, you will probably find him helping other customers elsewhere on the Landfill premises.

Motor Oil/Antifreeze/Oil Filter Station—(no charge)

Disposal tanks are located just beyond the office, along the right side of the garage for:

- Motor Oil Only: (two tanks) including transmission oil, gear, box oil, and hydraulic fluid.
- Antifreeze Only: (one tank)
- Oil Filters: For used oil filters that have been drained for 12 hours after being removed from their engines. Please drop off at front right corner of the garage.

Automotive Batteries/No Charge
May be dropped off at the container next to the paint facility. Please see attendant before dropping off.

Containers #1 & #2-Household Refuse (Trash) Only/
NO RECYCLABLES

These two compactors alternate as demand and capacity dictate and are intended for disposal only of trash that does not contain any recyclable items or materials. If you have any questions, please see one of our attendants.

Container #3 & #4-Single Stream Recyclables Only
NO HOUSEHOLD REFUSE or Plastic Bags



The following items may be mixed together:

- Corrugated Cardboard—All boxes must be knocked down and flattened for disposal and be 4'x4' or smaller
- Plastics—#1 thru #7
- Glass, Bottles and Jars
- Metal Containers—aluminum cans, foil, pans
- Milk and Juice Cartons
- Paperboard—junk mail, newspapers, magazines, office paper, paper bags, phone books**, cereal boxes, envelopes, solicitation materials

**If you wish to opt out of receiving yellow pages, you can go to the following website: www.YellowPagesOptOut.com

- Container #8/Heavy Metal/Disposal Fee: \$15.00 each
Goes in the first open container on the left beside the driveway extension off the back of the circle area.
- Washers
 - Dryers
 - Lawn Mowers
 - Car Parts
 - Cast Iron
 - Hot Water Heaters

- Container #9/Bulky Waste
- Stuffed Chair \$15.00 each
 - Sofa, Loveseat, Sofa bed \$20.00 each
 - Mattress or box spring No Charge
 - Carpet/rug \$20.00 each
 - Toilets/Sinks \$10.00 each



- Container #10/Construction and Demolition Waste/Disposal fees by volume
Includes sheet rock (dry wall), framing material, new and used wood, non-asbestos shingles, windows, doors, broken wooden furniture, fiberglass and similar materials.
- Carload \$20.00
 - Van/Small Pickup \$30.00
 - Full Size Pick Up \$40.00
 - Dual Wheel Vehicle \$60.00
 - Trailer 8' or less \$40.00
 - Trailer 12' or less \$60.00
 - Other-(extra fee, please see attendant)

Tires/Removed From Their Rims

- Car/light truck \$ 8.00
- Truck \$20.00
- Off-road, farm and construction vehicles \$30.00



If you have any questions or concerns regarding the Avon Landfill Recycling Center, please send us an email at:



publicworks@avonct.gov

BEYOND THE “STOP” GATE AND UP THE HILL

Brush

Must be separated and placed in designated areas at the top of the hill.
Please follow the signs.

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| • Carload/Van | \$15.00 |
| • Small Pickup | \$20.00 |
| • Full Size Pick Up | \$30.00 |
| • Small Dump Truck | \$50.00 |
| • Trailer 6’ | \$20.00 |
| • Trailer 8’ | \$30.00 |
| • Trailer 10’ | \$40.00 |
| • Trailer 12’ | \$50.00 |
| • Other - larger/side stakes (see attendant) | |

Leaves: accepted free with permit. Please dump out of any plastic bags you use to transport them. NOTE: *Leaves must not be thrown in with Household Trash.*

Grass Clippings – Not Accepted

Rock & Stone Area

This area is for materials such as concrete rubble, brick, stone, dirt, sand, ceramics and pottery items, and tile (terra-cotta) flower pots. All materials must be separated and deposited as directed by and attendant.

Clean Fill is accepted free with permit. Please see an attendant.

Sand & Salt Mix

The Landfill is one of two locations in Avon at which, during the winter, the Department of Public Works makes available a supply of sand and mixed sand and salt intended for use only on icy residential walkways, not drive-ways. Please limit yourself to a 5-gallon container.

Thank you
for using
the



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Transfer Station